OPTIMISM

(Continued from page 1.) MORE HELP OBTAINED.

Waimanalo Plantation. August 22, 1906, 12:10 p. m. The transport Logan is passing bound in.

At 8 a, m, the vessel was in from 16 to 22 feet of water.

There was 22 feet under the port quarter and 16-17 feet under the bow. There is ten feet less water under her bow, and 4 feet less aft than if | she were affoat.

The water on the starboard side averages three feet less than on the port side. She is lying due N. and S., the bow

heading south. Two hundred feet away on the star-board bow is only two feet of water. If the vessel ever gets there it will be all off with her.

Twenty-five men have just arrived from Honolulu via the Pali. They will be sampanned to the distressed vessel. It looks as if more than double this number were needed. Valuable time is assuredly being lost on account of lack of labor to handle anchors, hawsers, etc.

There is some talk of extending the telephone line to the landing. More heavy wire is being 'phoned for in Honolulu.

WAIMANALO'S HIGH TIME. Waimanalo Plantation.

August 22, 1906, 1:30 p. m. The quiet little village of Waimanalo is having the time of its life. Never since the invention of the auto have so many machines been seen here.

Visitors from Honolulu on business or pleasure bent keep coming and going all the while. In automobiles, carriages and stage-coaches they come and now and again an equestrian arrives.

Manager Chalmers of Waimanalo Plantation is having ample opportunity to shine as a host. Every night since the grounding of the Manchuria, he has had a full house and tonight promises to be no exception to the rule. This morning he was made aware that provisions in his household had run short and horsemen were dispatched to the grassy plains to rope a sheep or two for dinner.

Head Luna Scott's hospitable resources are also being taxed. Plover are plentiful round here, having made an early appearance, and

visitors who pack guns along have a chance of some shooting. On the run from here to the landing an auto occasionally gets stalled in the sagging in we will be all right until sand and one has broken down near we are prepared to give her the grand the landing and awaits repairs.

a chance to do quite a business. The that.

Quite a delegation of sight-seers is expected from Honolulu Sunday, provided the Manchuria is not out of her pilikia by then.

PASSENGERS' BAGGAGE, On Board S. S. Manchuria.

August 22, 1906 (3:45 p. m.). A four and a-half-ton mushroom anchor attached to a Il-inch cable has been placed in deep water over the port quarter. The Manchuria tightened up and a movement of the stern was perceptible,

Another big anchor is being taken out on the other side of the stern. She has been straightening all day and is now nearly of an even keel, with a slight list to starboard instead of a

considerable one to port. The vessel appears to be almost affeat, and but for an occasional bump is nearly in deep water motion.

The steamer Cummins left with the treasure and part of the steerage passengers' baggage early this afternoon. She will return tomorrow morning to finish the job.

The barge Pioneer has all the saloon passengers' baggage aboard and should be in town with it tomorrow morning.

OFFICERS SANGUINE. The officers are sanguine of the suchour

The newly-arrived laborers from Honolulu are at work transferring cargo to the port side. This should tend to increase the former list to port, but has failed to do so. The probable explanation of this is that the vessel, aided by the action of the strong tide, ularly. The first day of the disaster he has slipped off the ledge on which her scarcely touched anything. bilge keel caught.

J. J. Belser, the dredging contractor, and C. P. Morse of the American-Hawafian S. S. Co., who have been aboard ing. all day, have just gone ashore.

The cable steamer Restorer now has a double cable connection with the Manchuria, a cable running out of each stern port. The Manning has the same old line and the Niihau is standing by waiting for her boats, which are being used to place the big anchors. The vessel has been riding lightly all

afternoon, as if in a cradle.

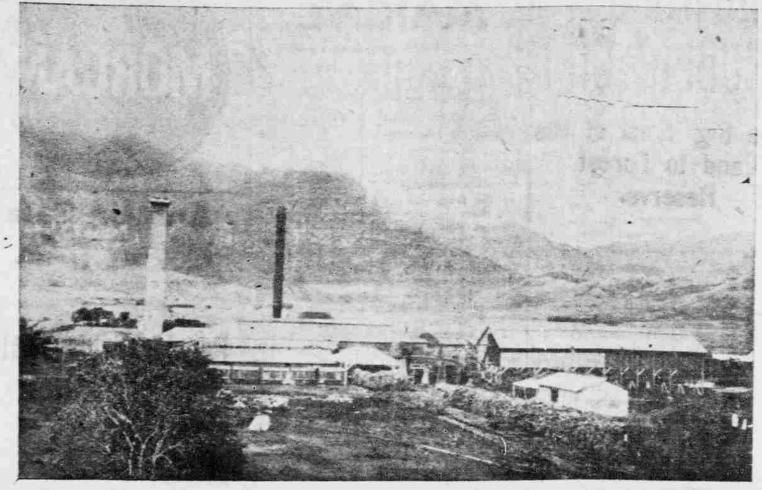
BIG PULL TODAY. The water tanks are to be emptied at 5 p. m. or thereabouts. The Restorer. Manning and probably the Niihau will make a strong pull and a pull to-

The Manchuria will try to get off also under her own steam, and with everybody and everything working together it looks as if something will have to

The port engine which has been out of commission is now said to be in running order. There is no sign of a puncture in the hull. Some of the seams of the water tank have hathi- shafts of the propellers. The only ma- servable, pressure on them and this probably accounts for the little water coming in. So far there have been no accidents

"Tough luck," said Captain Saun- her aid, having parted her hawser dur-

The Nithau's boats are returning to Between the time that the Nithau May 25, 1899. is poking her nose into it a plenty, wards the shore for seventy feet,



WAIMANALO PLANTATION MILL WHERE THE MANCHURIA PASSENGERS WERE ENTERTAINED JUST AFTER LANDING.

MANAGER CHALMERS OF WAIMA-

NALO PLANTATION.

here were entertained American and

ed by the kings and princes of Hawaii,

kalani, made that part of the island

where,

kuaina.

THE REPORT OF THE RESIDENCE OF THE RESID The Manning has been taken a line by the Brothers and another wire will soon be connected.

THE NIIHAU LEAVES. 5 p. m.-The Nilhau has left. She was standing by for a chance to get a line to the Manchuria, but When the Restorer and the Manning started pulling without word to the Inter-Island beats the captain went home, probably concluding that there was nothing in proffering assistance that was not

"WILL GET HER OFF."

wanted.

6 p. m.-Chief Officer Barnesson of the Restorer has just had a conference with Captain Saunders and is returning to his ship.

"There will be no more heavy pulling tonight," said Barnesson. "We shall keep pulling easily to hold the Manchuria and keep her from sagging. Tomorrow morning at high tide pulling in earnest will begin. We are prepared to stand by for a month if necessary. We will get her off, whether today, or tomorrow, or when, we can not say, but we will get her off."

"There is no material change in the ders. "I am more hopeful than ever tonight. The ship is lying in a bay, tonight. The ship is lying in a bay, and as long as we can keep her from pull."

Everyone who possesses a horse has It locks as if something would be doing at high tide before morning and prevailing rate for horse hire is \$2 a it is probable that the ship will be day and the steeds are awful plugs at lightened by the emptying of the water tanks before the Restorer and Manning take hold.

Jamie Wilder, the artist, is on the shore and will camp out for a week and will paint a picture of the Man- 1920. AYRES.

MANCHURIA MAY STICK TO REEF FOR WEEKS tie the islands are much indebted for

R. C. Morton, brother of Chief Offi- glishman, married to a high chiefess. cer Morton of the Manchuria, now on and a great favorite with Kamehaleave in the States, came to town at meha III. His reputation for hospitalnoon yesterday on the tug Eleu, bring- ity was not confined to the islands, and ing his baggage and typewriting machine.

"The Manchurla was solid on the reef tained a track, where his horses were last night," said Mr. Morton, "The trained, and many a race was witnesstanks had been pumped full of water and that caused the vessel to settle down, although she had moved in considerably toward the shore. The first night the vessel bumped hard on the reef and damaged several of the boilers. One compartment is leaking. their home, and the aquatic sports of

"Three kedge anchors are being laid off the bow and the stem is being held by the Restorer and Manning. That will keep a steady strain on the Mancess of the floating operations, and churia and with the arrival of the "we sail at six" is the joke of the proper tackle it is quite likely the vessel can be taken off the reef to deep

"How long might she remain on the reef? Well, it might be weeks." Mr. Morton stated that Captain Saunders was feeling better than on the

first day and was taking his meals reg-Mr. Morton thought the passengers baggage, the trunks, etc., from the

hold, would arrive in town this morn-NIIHAU'S SKIPPER

NOT OPTIMISTIC

The Inter-Island steamer Niihau returned at 6 o'clock last night from a favorite resort for the elite of Ho- benefit of the underwriters. Waimanalo, where she had been stand- nolulu. ing by the stranded Manchuria for the past thirty-six hours. The Niihau took was resting easy, bumping only occa-

Captain Thompson expressed the opinion that the reports that the liner was to be pulled off within a short time were too good to be true. He also crests, afford a remarkable background cargo, in case the vessel is saved. thought that it would be found im- for the brilliant colors which nature If Captain Metcalf finds, after invespossible to do anything with either of here presents. Photographs do not do tigating that it will be impossible to she had been subjected to had bent the of color here and there are not ob- may turn the ship over to the Marine chinery left in working order last Manana or Rabbit Island, which aft he wreck for sale as she is or they

auxiliary power. The cable ship Restorer was doing some strong pulling during the after- Wahlberg, under command of the dar- by the underwriters. Either the Pa- elephant" in these waters, as there is sundries, T cs drugs. noon, aloving the stern of the Manchu- ing Cartain A. P. Lorentzen, landed cific Mail Steamship Company or the no dry-dock to receive her here and To East Indies-117 cs canned goods, 4:36 p. m.—The Manning while pulling ria at one time an appreciable disthe arms used so ineffectively by the Insurance companies or perhaps both the Manchuria must of absolute neces35 cm salmon, 10 pkgs wagon material. has just parted her hawser at the bitt, tance. The Manning had to suspend rebels;

ing the afternoon. The Nimau's boats are retained at the scene of the wreck the steamer John A. Cummins, which In case it takes weeks to get the vestage are matters affecting the hull which sks potatoes, 42 cs spices, 3 cs extracts, the steamer. The Nihau is rolling first arrived at the scene of the wreck the steamer. the steamer. The Allian is the steamer and the time she left for Honolulu the has proven so serviceable in landing sel off the rocks, the pounding she has could not very well be attended to in 253 lbs tea, 600 lbs soda, 4 pkgs elections and the launch Brothers. The considerably and the launch Brothers had worked her way to considerably and the natural state of the manchuria and worked her way tothe passengers of the Manchuria, is the received with the resulting damage to Honolulu. To tow such a vessel to the trical goods, 1500 cs coal oil, 3 rolls

PICKED UP ON **BONOLULU STREETS**

The mail on the Manchuria intended for the Far East was brought in yesterday and that for the Philippines and China will be transferred to the transport Logan, while the Japan mail will be held for the Hongkong Maru, istered from "Makapuu Point." due here August 30 from the Coast. ALAMEDA SAYS "HOWDY."

Just before the Oceanic liner Alameda sailed for San Francisco yesterday merning, Captain Dowdell stated that the liner would cruise in close to Waimanalo bay and give a marine "How d'ye do?" to her ill-fated cousin. This was a splendid opportunity for the passengers, as well as the officers, to see the stranded Pacific Mail liner. It was a strange irony of fate that gave the Alameda the opportunity to steam along in view of the stranded to her condition. It was not so many months ago that the Alameda ripped her hull full of holes upon rocks at the Golden Gate, and yet she was not only removed from them, but the holes were patched and she was towed across the San Francisco bay to the drydock, rebuilt and is now as staunch as ever.

"MANCHURIA REEF." The part of the Island of Oahu, Waiwent on the reef in the channel lead- merchandise account. Here Thomas Cummins established ing to Honolulu's harbor. This was

the fine strains found. He was an Entake the Manchuria off. There is now a "Miowera reef," and Manchuria is stranded will in future be known as the "Manchuria reef."

British officers right royally. He main-OFFICIAL INOUIRY

as well as by princes from Europe. The Kamehamehas and their queens, Breckons and United States Marshal forenoon. He says he is taking chances churia sailed yesterday for Hongkong as well as Kalakaua and Queen Liliuo- Hendry went to Waimanalo yesterday by auto to size up the wreck situation. the natives, as well as their ancient Just what their visit was intended for customs, were maintained here long is not altogether clear, as Marshal after they had become obsolete else. Hendry stated that it was unofficial.

"However, if any questions are ask-The seas at Walmanalo are very ed of us concerning the Manchuria, shallow and were and are noted for we will be in a position to make reply. their famous fishing. The plains and said the Marshal just before starting. sand dunes and the pends in the vi- He added that he did not know what cinity afford fine shooting and are the steps were being taken toward any in-

resort for many of our sporting men. quiry as to the cause of the accident. In the early days the land had a This phase of the disaster is to be large native population and breadfruit an important one no doubt. Just when and other endogens covered the coun- a court of inquiry will be called and try. At the great division of the lands conducted by the United States Inin 1847 very, many small grants were spectors of Hulls and Boilers is not made to the people out of this mo- known. These inspectors are in San Francisco. Whether they would come The Hon. John A. Cummins, son of to Honolulu to hold the investigation. the former, conceived the idea of es- or remain in San Francisco and sumtablishing a sugar plantation, and, mons the captain, officers and crew to natives, he cleared off the land and question.

made it what it is today. It has al- Captain Saunders will make a report Waimanalo during his incumbency was a report will also be made for the

In the investigation of the cause of The striking (no joke) beauty of the the disaster the captain will necessarily scenery from the deck of the Manchuria be put to a severe cross-examination. must have impressed the throng of If the captain is held blameless he will no active part in the attempts to pull passengers, and their ride through the be exonerated and if he is guilty of the big liner off the reef, but was cane fields on the little railroad laid contributing to the piling of the Manthere available at any time. She left down by Mr. Cummins must have been churia up on the rocks, the inference the scene shortly after 5 o'clock last an unexpected treat. Two magnificent is, in view of former investigations, night, at which time the Manchuria pictures of Waimanalo, by D. Howard that his license as a master will be Hitchcock, which were exhibited in revoked, or he may be suspended for Paris, attracted much attention and a certain period.

could have been sold for a large sum. A report is also to be made to the The preximity of the stupendous preci- Collector of Customs which will show pices, covered with verdure to their the amount of loss to the ship and

her engines, as the pounding and strain justice to such scenery, as the splashes get the ship off the rocks, the owners underwriters. They in turn, can offer night, according to him, was the fords some shelter to the beached Man- can make an effort to save the vessel. churia, achieved some notoriety in 1895 II saved under such circumstances It as the place where the schooner H. R. will lessen the loss to be written off are sending Captain Metcalf to Hono- sity find a berth in a dry-dock. The To Korea-511 gals lubricating oil, 17 The little S. S. Iwa was burned off lulu to see what can be done to save engines and boilers, now reported to cs electrical goods, 5 cs canned goods, harbor, the vessel. Captain Metcalf is the rep- be in bad shape, may possibly be re- 7 pkgs groceries and provisions. resentative at San Francisco of Lloyds. paired to some extent here but there To Honolulu-110 bxs fresh fruits, 50

BREVITIES

When Metcalf arrives here next Wednesday on the Ventura he will assume harge of all operations looking to the loating of the Manchuria,

A rumor reached the city yesterday afternoon that the hull in a certain blace had been dented in by reason of an especially flinty rock projecting bove the reef-cradle.

Treasure was brought away yestertay from the Manchuria by the Cumnins and landed at the Oceanic dock. There was a sack of Mexican dollars and some cases of watch cases and watches. Alex. Lyle made some valuable sug-

Manchuria. He advised about kedge anchors and filling the tanks with water ballast to keep her down tight o the reef. Duplicate manifests, etc., of the argo and passenger statements of the Manchuria may be cabled for from San

gestions to those having charge of the

Francisco to be forwarded here on the Hongkong Maru, leaving San Franisco tomorrow. Dr. Day of Los Angeles, and chairman of the Manchuria passengers'

meetings, was invited yesterday by Rev. J. Walter Sylvester to occupy the pulpit of Central Union church next Sunday morning. The passengers of the Manchuria are becoming the best kind of sightseers

and are going over the city and inspecting its beauty spots in a thorough manner. That is, they are mapping out their routes day by day.

Governor General Smith's autograph on the Young Hotel register shows that he has become a citizen of the Hawaiian Islands. He has registered from Waimanalo, and Judge Gilbert is reg-Dr. Stone of New York, one of the

passengers, lost no time in getting ground the islands. He reached Honolulu from the stranded vessel early Tuesday morning and left for the volcano on the Kinau at noon. His wife, daughter and niece remained behind. Judge Gilbert, one of the passengers, said yesterday: "I took a street car ride this morning through a section of

Honolulu, which was to my view one of the finest I have ever seen. We went up into College Hills and Manoa Valley. No one should miss that ride." "They're giving dances and balls for

we people of the Manchuria, but to tell the truth I haven't any clothes to wear to such a function, because they haven't delivered our trunks," said a passenger yesterday. Shipwrecked people on the Island of Oahu certainly wish to be en regle when society functions are in full swing. Nathan Bentz, one of the passengers

At the time that the Alameda was on the Manchuria, who is also one of manalo, where the S. S. Manchurla is passing within sight of the Manchurla, the members of the passengers' com-The weather conditions continue wrecked is probably better known to still another coincidence was noted mittee on resolutions, is a curio dealer favorable and the prospects are for a the people of Honolulu than any other. from the Colonies, and so in the waters tom to make annual trips to the Ori-It is crown lands under lease to the directly surrounding Oahu were steam- ent, particularly to Japan, for stock, Waimanalo Sugar Co. which expires in ers that had all been on rocks at some He is having a "curios" experience this time in their history. The Miowera time, but can hardly turn it into a

Young Bros.' launch Brothers has his cattle ranch in the early 40's, and several years ago. There she hung for been on constant duty at the Manto his love for blooded horses and cat- a long time, until removed by Metcalf, churia. She is in charge of Jack Young who leaves San Francisco today on the and Joe Miller. The little craft is be-Ventura for Henolulu to attempt to ing used as a dispatch boat, and was the first to carry out the kedge anchors. The Brothers tows the boats of undoubtedly the reef on which the the island steamers and has made itself generally useful. The crew take turns in getting meals aboard the

stranded steamship. tranded steamship.

The steamer J. A. Cummins was MANCHURIA'S pounding the reef alongside the Manchuria yesterday. Captain Searle says that at times the boat came down upon the coral with a dull thud. The reef between the Cummins and the shore United States District Attorney was almost bare in places yesterday in running the Cummins alongside the and way ports, via Honolulu, with a

> taken on a good deal of cargo. When the first detachment of passengers was being taken from the distributed as follows: For Japan, Manchuria to the steamer Cummins \$172,244; China, \$112,202; Vladivostok. one woman, after starting down the \$3436; Philippine Islands, \$3028; East gangway, took off her shoes, exposing Indies, \$1808; Korea, \$1110; Siam, \$116; brown stockings with white toes. She clung in desperation to a passenger and Honolulu, \$1860. The following were the an officer, and finally sat down, re- principal shipments: fusing to be lowered to the Cummins' To Japan-640 bbls flour, 11.565 lbs deck. Finally she was ordered, and sugar, 25 pkgs groceries and proviwhen she did start for the deck landed sions, 7 cs canned goods, 1479 lbs lard, in the arms of a muscular mate, whom 2900 lbs raisins 1642 lbs dried fruit, 4737 she clasped firmly if not fondly.

that he encountered the same current typewriters and supplies, 72 pkgs elecwhich carried the Manchuria off her trical goods, 122 pkgs paper, 173 pkgs here he noticed a strong westerly cur- 90 pkgs bicycles and sundries, 14 bales rent. This continued for two days be- duck, 9 pkgs agricultural implements. fore the vessel reached Oahu. He says, 120 car wheels, 2 bxs car material, 41 renting many of the kuleanas from the appear before them there is open to of course, after taking an observation bxs photo goods, 1539 kegs wire nails, 4 at moon of the day before the Man- cs drugs, 26 cs dry goods, 91,278 lbs talchuria was wrecked, that it was not low, 10.790 lbs hides, 24 pkgs plumbing ways been his delight to entertain, and on the disaster to the inspectors, and possible to ascertain the vessel's true material, 15 bdls pipe, 260 crts and 100 direction until the following day. He rolls roofing material, 16 ca arms and believes the Manchuria is in a very ammunition. bad fix

crowd of Manchuria passengers had lbs millstuffs, 2080 lbs ham and bacon. just come from the steamer. They de- 9510 lbs and 11 cs cheese, 630 cs canned cided to start back to town with news, goods, 29 cs salmon, 43 pkgs groceries etc. They started, but the machine and provisions, 2050 lbs nuts, 1556 lbs balked, and it was hauled to Waima- coffee, 130 pkgs table preparations, 23 nalo. Superintendent Hudson of the pkgs pickles, 1883 gals and 3 cs wine, Hawalian Electric Co. was there and 245 cases beer, 211 cs cigarettes, 81 bxs he worked at the machine. Another photo goods, 49 rolls leather, 11 pkgs false start was made. Then they took wagon material, 14 cs soap, 50 cs fuse, their coats off, Howland, Noah Gray 5 pkgs roofing material, 4 bxs sewing and others, and they all wolked. They machines, 11 cs dry goods, 500 bales old not make another start until the sheeting, 548 bales drills, 125 bdis next morning. They had purchased shooks, 9 cs arms and ammunition, from a Japanese what they supposed To Vladivostok-355 cs canned goods, was gasoline, to fill the auto tanks. It 4000 lbs dried fruit, 800 lbs raisins, \$ was kerosene.

property of the Waimanalo Sugar Co. boilers and engines and possible bend- Coast would be a big task.

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CARGO INVOICE

The Chronicle: The steamer Man-Manchuria and especially after she has general merchandise cargo, valued at \$295,804, exclusive of treasure, and to be

gals whisky, 160 gals wine, 732 lbs mill-Captain Dowdell of the Alameda says stuffs, 10 ctls oats, 20 bales hay, 27 cs course. He says that before arrival machinery, 117 rolls and 18 cs leather,

To China-5030 bbls flour, 2590 Ibs E. J. Lord took a crowd of his friends bread, 120 bxs fresh fruits, 440 lbs lard. over to Waimanalo on Monday after- 14 cs salad oil, 400 lbs tea, 2200 lbs codnoon in his auto and arrived when a fish, 6782 lbs beans, 1900 lbs peas, 13,268

> cs bread, 93 cs plows and parts, To Philippine Islands-118 cs canned goods, 10 cs honey, 10 cs syrup, 28 gals

ing of the keel, possible punctures, will wine, 5 pkgs groceries and provisions, make the leviathan almost a "white 42 cs boots and shoes, 5 cs bloycles and